

HIDDEN POWER BEHIND BROTHERHOOD ORDERS

(By Associated Press.)
OMAHA, Neb., Mar. 17.—President E. E. Calvin, of the Union Pacific Railroad, today issued the following statement:

"In connection with the threatened strike at this time, the question arises, 'Is some power shrewder and more sharper than the brotherhood leaders back of the plan to precipitate a transportation tie-up at this time and establish in this country a condition to which the minds of our enemies in Europe may seem like a revolt against our government?'"

"I am in hearty sympathy with Eliaha Lee, chairman of the national conference committee of the railroads, when he calls attention to the fact that the serious international situation should cause every citizen to put every thought of personal right or desire second to his duty to his country."

"In a letter addressed to President Wilson some days ago the brotherhood leaders gave assurance that in case of war they would render every possible assistance to the government."

"They have overlooked the facts that in many ways a railroad strike in this country would be worth more to our enemies than the winning of many battles, for the reason that it would paralyze and stagnate all our resources, and even if the strike be called off should war be declared, the strike tie-up would have resulted in such a congestion of freight in the terminals and on the sidings that weeks and probably months would be required to get this congestion cleaned up before the railroads would be in normal running conditions again."

"This would mean that the movement of troops would be seriously interfered with and the movement of commissary supplies and munitions so seriously interrupted as to give our enemies a tremendous advantage."

"A day or two ago an officer of our navy said, 'a tie-up of the rail-

roads for even two days would be a serious blow to the national welfare at this critical time. We must keep the fleet fully coaled and equipped with other supplies."

"Moreover, we are rushing construction work in the navy and a two-days' tie up of transportation of the materials urgently needed might mean a two-months' delay in the emergency work we have undertaken."

"The rank and file of the railroad brotherhoods have waited for ten weeks for the decision of the United States supreme court as to the constitutionality of the Adamson law, a decision which may be handed down almost any day."

"In accordance with our agreement at that time the Union Pacific in common with the other railroads of the country, have kept separate time records since January 1, scrupulously recording the increased pay that would be due to their employees in case the Adamson law is upheld."

"Further, the strike vote taken by the men was for a specific time and purpose and in the minds of many brotherhood members to make use of the strike vote taken last summer to call a strike at this time would be illegal."

"When we are on the verge of a decision respecting the legality of the Adamson law, and when we stand face to face with the probability of a war which will tax all our energy, it seems to me that in speaking of the plans of the brotherhood leaders to tie up the transportation of the country, the people are justified in using a stronger term than 'illegality'."

"To me it seems incredible that the rank and file of brotherhood members would respond to a strike call which must have the universal condemnation of the patriotic citizens of this country."

"It is impossible to believe that the brotherhood leaders, who have heretofore shown real generalship, will lead those who trust in them upon such a fool's errand."

CALLING OUT NATIONAL GUARD AS MEASURE OF PREPAREDNESS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 17.—In preparation for any demand upon the army that may grow out of the German crisis, the militia bureau of the war department has sent precautionary instructions to all state adjutants general outlining the plan to be followed should the national guard be called for federal service.

The intention has been to take this step quietly and without publicity, but reports indicating that it was being construed as meaning that mobilization was imminent, caused department officials to issue the instructions with explanation that they could constitute a routine measure of preparedness necessary to prevent such confusion as attended the assembling of guardsmen for border service if the call should come. In this contention it was pointed out that the government is going to considerable expense to mobilize regiments returning from the border and which would be held in the federal service, if another demand for their service was expected immediately.

It was reiterated that the policy of the administration in the present status of the crisis was to make no move that could be construed as a warlike step. This policy is understood to be the reason that mobilization of the navy has not been ordered. Many naval officers have favored that step, but it has not been approved by the administration.

The circular of instructions advises the adjutants general specifically of the national guard organizations in each state which would be summoned in case of a call. Mobilization under the plan outlined would be conducted by the regular army departmental commanders, who would be authorized to designate sites for mobilization camps other than those formerly used if necessary and to make "provision for shelter, recruitment and the formation of the recruit training battalions in the eventuality of war."

No units except those designated would be accepted and each unit would be required to have the full maximum of war strength as provided for the regular army in the national defense act.

HOTEL MANAGERS ARE STOCKING UP

MOTOR TRANSPORT SERVICE AND ELECTRIC LINES ARE TO BE USED

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—Hotel proprietors in this city began making preparations today to keep their commissaries supplied in case of a general railroad strike. The tentative plans outlined included the establishment of a motor transport system to co-operate with interurban electric lines and railroads that maintain a limited movement of food trains.

The Boston shoemakers think that \$20 a pair is not too much for shoes. We fancy that these Bostonians are people who stay out of doors when it rains until the skies clear and then they go in. Houston Post.

After the eight-hour law comes the seven. Coming down to brass tacks justice can never be done until we get as much wages as we want with about three minutes a day of work. Houston Post.

An adlet in the Bonanza is the best investment.

GERMAN CARRIED WIRELESS OUTFIT

MAN ARRESTED MYSTIFIES THE POLICE HEADQUARTERS WITH MACHINE

NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—Max Hans Ludwig Wax, a German, arrested on a charge of utilizing the ancient game of transforming small bills into greater ones with a machine, is one of the most puzzling prisoners headquarters ever had. They cannot make up their minds whether he is a German spy, a German propagandist, some kind of a German wireless operator, or just a common or garden variety of confidence man.

Wax was arrested at the Grand Central Station on Friday night as he went there to claim a trunk, and the complainant against him is Frank Sternberg, of 8 West Fifty-second street, who accuses Wax of swindling him out of two \$1000 bills. Sternberg says that Wax persuaded him that he had a machine which would change a \$1000 bill into a \$10,000 bill, and he put up the money, with the result that the nice little package he got from Wax's money-making machine consisted entirely of paper. Only he had obeyed orders and had not opened the package until he got home.

The trunk for which Wax called was taken to police headquarters and then the mysteries began to pile up. Inside they found a machine in a black box, two and one-half feet square, which Sternberg said had been shown to him as the money-making machine. Sergeant Pierce, of the wireless bureau, examined the machine, and declared it to be a "powerful portable wireless outfit, the key and the transformer being the only necessary parts missing."

With additional parts, Pierce, who acted as operator, tested the outfit. He said it was capable of receiving messages from Germany, and powerful enough to transmit messages 100 miles.

Besides the wireless outfit, the trunk which was ingeniously wired, contained test tubes and chemicals. These, along with the wiring, were underneath the supposed money-making machine.

When Wax was searched the police found papers and letters showing that he had received sums of money from the Deutsches Imperial Bank of Berlin, through the office of the German consulate at 11 Broadway, one of the letters advising of the receipt of \$12,000 and another of 2300 marks.

Some letters apparently were written in code and were sent to the federal authorities.

When asked about the money he received, Wax declared he received money from his people there, through the Title Guarantee and Trust company. He told the police that he was born in Hamburg, but when questioned about his father, said he knew nothing about him, as he died when Wax was six and a half weeks old.

He declared he was never in the German army. He was rejected because of heart trouble.

CHURCHES

St. Patrick's Church—Fourth Sunday of Lent—First mass at 8 a. m., second mass at 10 a. m., Sunday school at 1 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Special Lenten services every Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. Diss, rector.

Christian Science Society—Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Substance" Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. The reading rooms are open daily from 2 to 4 p. m. Testimonial meetings are held every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service 11 o'clock. At this service, Mr. D. V. Methu, a field man for the Baptist church, will speak on the subject "Prayer." Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Special music by choir and a tenor solo by Geo. T. Wilson. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "The Incompleteness of Life." Rev. R. W. Bayless, pastor.

St. Mark's Church—Sunday, Mar. 18. Holy Communion, 8 a. m., Sunday school, 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, March 22, illustrated lecture, "Panama and Porto Rico." at 7:30 p. m. Friday, the 23rd, litany and address, 4 p. m. Rev. Harlan Bailey, vicar.

Lutheran Services—Next Monday evening, March 19, at 8 o'clock, Lutheran services will be conducted at the Presbyterian church. Since quite a number of those who wish to attend Lutheran services are members of various societies which meet on Tuesday evening, the Lutheran services will henceforth be held on every Monday evening following the third Sunday in each month. Frederick H. Menzel, pastor.

GOV. WHITMAN REMOVES STATE ATHLETIC CHAIRMAN FOR EXTORTION

(By Associated Press.)
ALBANY, N. Y., Mar. 17.—Late yesterday Governor Whitman removed from office Frederick A. Wenck, chairman of the state athletic commission, on the ground that he was unfit for the position by reason of his "character and previous dealing with others." The executive dismissed all of the other charges brought against the chairman by three New York boxing bout promoters, including one of attempted extortion.

It was announced at the executive chamber that probably no successor to Wenck would be appointed, as the governor hopes to see boxing exhibitions declared illegal in this state before the end of the present legislative session.

Now tell us, sternly demanded the young legal luminary, whose brow overhung like the back of a snapping turtle, addressing the cowering witness, "what was the weather, if any, upon the afternoon in question?"—London Saturday Journal.

valley, for which he must pay \$25 a ton and haul to Tonopah by auto trucks.

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| John Kline | bal. 20 | 100 | 2.00 |
| Joseph Scott | 38 | 150 | 5.70 |
| Alex. H. Lappo | 115 | 20 | 2.30 |
| T. Lynch | bal. 97 | 60 | 5.82 |
| J. K. Mitchell | 309 | 60 | 18.54 |
| J. K. Mitchell | 210 | 100 | 21.00 |
| Stine T. R. Morgan | bal. 235 | 320 | 75.20 |
| Sam R. Parkinson | bal. 181 | 750 | 135.75 |
| W. Petherick | 351 | 250 | 87.75 |
| Robert G. Pierce | 202 | 400 | 80.80 |
| A. Reister | 51 | 100 | 5.10 |
| Ed. Robinson | 100 | 100 | 10.00 |
| Dr. A. F. Sampson | bal. 292 | 180 | 52.56 |
| G. J. Schroder | 228 | 100 | 22.80 |
| John Twoby | 302 | 25000 | 7550.00 |
| John Twoby | 304 | 25000 | 7550.00 |
| John Twoby | 303 | 5000 | 1500.00 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 121 | 950 | 114.95 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 174 | 180 | 31.32 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 175 | 180 | 31.32 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 176 | 180 | 31.32 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 177 | 180 | 31.32 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 178 | 180 | 31.32 |
| P. W. H. Ash | bal. 65 | 100 | 6.50 |
| P. W. H. Ash | bal. 66 | 100 | 6.60 |
| P. W. H. Ash | bal. 67 | 100 | 6.70 |
| P. W. H. Ash | bal. 68 | 100 | 6.80 |
| P. W. H. Ash | bal. 69 | 100 | 6.90 |
| Dr. James Bingham | 50 | 60 | 3.00 |
| W. K. Brooks | 100 | 200 | 20.00 |
| Grace Burke | 552 | 100 | 55.20 |
| Fred A. Callan | 481 | 100 | 48.10 |
| W. R. Dickinson | bal. 39 | 1000 | 39.00 |
| P. J. Daube | 712 | 1000 | 712.00 |
| P. J. Daube | 713 | 1000 | 713.00 |
| P. J. Daube | 714 | 1000 | 714.00 |
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| P. J. Daube | 718 | 1000 | 718.00 |
| P. J. Daube | 719 | 1000 | 719.00 |
| Thomas P. Fitzsim | bal. 21 | 950 | 19.95 |
| H. P. Foster | 219 | 100 | 21.90 |
| H. Geisberger | 644 | 200 | 128.80 |
| L. Harlow | 100 | 100 | 10.00 |
| R. V. Hendon | 100 | 100 | 10.00 |
| Arthur E. Kellier | 100 | 100 | 10.00 |
| James A. McGraw | 49 | 20 | 9.80 |
| M. H. Legare | 482 | 1000 | 482.00 |
| G. F. Moore | 111 | 20 | 2.22 |
| Richmond Noonan | 145 | 200 | 29.00 |
| Paul Peters | bal. 156 | 80 | 12.48 |
| Wm. F. Ramsey | 54 | 160 | 8.64 |
| George E. Robinson | 208 | 1000 | 208.00 |
| Schumann | 200 | 200 | 40.00 |
| Fred Schwartz | 175 | 500 | 87.50 |
| Harriet P. Thompson | 785 | 500 | 392.50 |
| McNeil T. Walte | bal. 124 | 140 | 17.36 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 15 | 950 | 14.25 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 41 | 80 | 3.28 |
| H. Zadiq | bal. 608 | 180 | 32.64 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 119 | 180 | 21.42 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 150 | 180 | 27.00 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 151 | 180 | 27.18 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 152 | 180 | 27.36 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 153 | 180 | 27.54 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 154 | 180 | 27.72 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 155 | 180 | 27.90 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 156 | 180 | 28.08 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 157 | 180 | 28.26 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 158 | 180 | 28.44 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 159 | 180 | 28.62 |
| Zadiq & Co. | bal. 160 | 180 | 28.80 |

And in accordance with law and order of the Board of Directors made on the 1st day of February, 1917, as many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at 365 Bush street, San Francisco, California, on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

ALFRED K. DUBROW, Secretary.
365 Bush St., San Francisco, Cal.

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Signed L. L. MUSHETT, Dated March 15th, 1917. M15-A154

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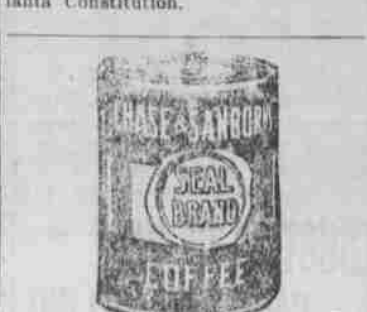
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